

HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE

MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Thursday, October 3, 2013

Southfield District Office 25680 W 8 Mile Road Southfield MI 48033

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman

Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: None

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:05 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

- 1. Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the minutes of the Southfield Appeal Hearings of September 26, 2013, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
- 2. Battle Creek Hotels, LLC, 12891 Harper Village, Battle Creek, Emmett Township, Calhoun County Request ID# 673828

The licensing hearing was held for Battle Creek Hotels, LLC, Request ID# 673828, which was originally scheduled for September 19, 2013, but postponed at the request of Attorney Allen. Linda Pytel-McDowell appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Kelly Allen and Asad M. Malik, sole member, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Ms. Pytel-McDowell and Ms. Allen offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of denial dated May 29, 2013, and remand the application back to the Commission staff for further review, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Quimby supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Andy Food Center, Inc., 8473 E M 71, Durand, Vernon Township, Shiawassee County Request ID# 712960

The hearing was held for Andy Food Center, Inc., Request ID# 712960, in regards to an Emergency Suspension Order issued by the Commission on September 6, 2013. Linda Pytel-McDowell appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office and Attorney Ashley Mammo, appeared on behalf of the licensee. Also present was Attorney Marshal Garmo who represents the party applying for a transfer of said

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licenses. Ms. Pytel-McDowell, Ms. Mammo and Mr. Garmo offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney advised it is the finding of the Commission that the licensee has completed the transfer of the interest from one person to another without the prior approval of the Commission. A motion was made by Chairman Deloney that the 2013 Specially Designated Distributor and Specially Designated Merchant licenses shall remain suspended until the expiration of the license or the licensee has completed a transfer of said licenses and permits to a person or entity approved by the Commission, as set forth in the Commission Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Olshove, supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 11:45 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Andrew J. Deloney Chairman

Celine Marley Rutkowski Commission Secretary